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258 Dudley Street, *Roxbury, Mass.* July 6 1882

Dear Sir:

I sent the gold coins as promised by express today, you will find in the box many fine pieces in the historic I have made few remarks either numismatic or commercial, as I know you require neither, I may say what you will notice at once that with the exception of a few pieces which are either very fine or scarce I have fixed a price on each only a little above the intrinsic value, and I feel assured you will not return anything on the score of over valuation.

As for the little French collection I am confident that no collector in this country can duplicate it.

Should you write me before Saturday your favor will reach me if

addressed to this place, if between Saturday and the 13th inst please direct care Messrs Baings & Co. New York City.

Yours very truly
Walter Woodward,
Jr.

To
T H Garrett Esq

1882
W. G. Woodward
July 6
Roxbury

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258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass.

Dec 7 1882

Dear Sir:

As I know you are always pleased to see fine gold coins, I take the liberty without preliminary correspondence to send a few for your examination

If you should return the whole or a portion between now and the 13th inst or if you should send me any communication be kind enough to address it care Bangs & Co 744 Broadway N.Y.

I am sorry you have not concluded to purchase that lot of French gold, the owner has directed me to send it to a dealer in Baden-Baden, but thinking you might conclude to take it I have continued to hold it, I should say that the owners directions were give to follow or not as I might deem best,

To

T Harrison Garrett

Yours very truly

W Elliot Woodward,

over

758 – 787	AD 1/3 Solidus	$ 3,00
1343 – 52	" " Double Ducat Provence	8,00
1266 – 89	Salute d'Oro	7,00
1509	Ducat	4,00
1606	"	5,00
1609	"	5,50
1621	"	4,50
1625	"	4,75
1646	"	5,00
1657	"	4,25
1685	"	4,50
Double	" Chas V Naples	10,00
Quintouple	" of the Reformation	22,00

1882
Hollywood
Roxbury
Sec 7

Roxbury, Mass,
Dec 19-1882

T. H. Barrett, Esq,
Dear Sir,

As you will notice I wrote you a letter on the 16th after mailing it I received yours of the 18th when I withdrew it from the P.O. and now inclose it as giving my views on the War Decorations, your favor renders the first part superfluous

I have written to the owner of the Coins sent you, he writes me "I will allow you 10 p% dis. if all are taken or 5 p% on any part" I will allow you on any purchase you make from his lot the same discount,

I send you again the collection of French gold and if it was proper for me to do so I should advise you to keep it for I am confident that at the price now asked $200. it is a bargain, if you take it at that price it is precisely what I have to pay but I had rather thus dispose of it than

send it abroad which the owner instructs me to do if I cannot sell it to net him that amount, I avail myself of the opportunity to offer you a few other pieces 3 or 4 of which you have seen before, the others are the little lot which I once wrote I would send to you at a future time, the prices on the latter are not, as I have made them as low as I can, memorandum of prices &c I inclose with the coins

Yours very truly
Wallace Woodward,
pres

Gold coins sent T. W. Garrett on approval Dec 19, 1882.

A- Byzantine, Roman Eastern Empire solidus 5.00
B- Decoration solid gold cost $35. 20.00
C- Reformation Ducat 1630 6.00
D- Half Laurel 4.00
E- Six Roubles Platena 15.00
F- John I Castile & Leon 1379-90 8.00
G- Charles V Gold Gulden 1523 3.00
H- Double Sovereign 10.00
I- 1739-10 Scudo Venice. This coin I am informed is most rare 30.00
K- James II 12.00
L- Charles I Unit 10.00
M- Alphonso Duke of Ferara very rare 10.00
N- Rep. France 1848. It strikes me this is a pattern 8.00
O- Ferd. Isabella I have never seen so fine a coin of these Sovereigns 15.00
P- Nap. 20 France 4.50
Q- Lew III Sovereign 6.00
R- Italy "Marengo" 20 Francs extra rare 10.00
S- Florence 3.50
T- Ancient Spanish, Doblon 4.00
U- Rep Geneva 1762 5.00
French collection 27 piece 20.00

Return of coins sent
116-242-258-259

over.

Concerning these last few lots all of which I consider remarkable, I have refrained from making many remarks as their condition shows for themselves and I presume that with their history and rarity you are more familiar than I am,

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258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass.

Jan 1 1883

Dear Sir:

I am just home from N.Y. and find your favor of the 26th ult awaiting me,

Inclosed please find bill of coins retained which I believe is correct

You mention B. the decoration

H " double Sovereign

N " French Piece of 1848

P " Nap. 20 Francs.

as amongst the pieces returned they were not in the box hence I conclude that after writing me you decided to retain them.

Yours truly

Walter Woodward

per

To

T. He Garrett, Esq

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258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass.

Jan 6th 1882,

Dear Sir:

I have your favor of Jan 4th inclosing check for $320.23

Concerning the 4 pieces missing I have to say the package which should have contained them arrived promptly, the seals were unbroken and undisturbed and the package was opened by cutting the string, the coins were examined immediately, and compared with the list, the four pieces were not there, and neither I or anyone in my employ have seen them, on another sheet I give you a detailed description of the pieces, and request that you will look through your collection to see if they are not mislaid, and if not found that you will cause further investigation to be made of the affair, for it is

positively certain that they were never placed in the box returned to me.

While I state these facts thus plainly I beg to assure you that I have not the slightest suspicion of any wrong doing on your part, but an unfortunate mistake has occurred somewhere and it is simply impossible that it happened here for the coins were examined checked, and deposited in my safe in the box as received immediately on their arrival where they remained undisturbed until the bill was made out when they were examined and again checked, and the bill made accordingly.

These things are not my property, they belong to a gentleman in San Francisco to whom I account for them net, charging him nothing for my trouble in the sale, and here I may say that the lot of French gold at $200. is the property of the same man, and if you will take the trouble to refer to my letters you will observe that I have adhered to the price of $200. and have explained to you that that was the owners lowest net price

the sum which I have to pay him and now as to the discount which you mention as to be "10% on the French gold", If you will refer to my letter you will notice that it refers wholly to the first lot shipped to you ~~on~~ concerning which you had written me asking for a discount, on receiving your letter I wrote immediately to the owner in N.Y. making the same request, his answer was, "I will allow you 10% discount if the entire lot is kept but if only a part is taken can only allow 5%" and the terms which I proposed to you, you will find on examination were the same,

I have mislaid the original invoice and am unable to say whether the Ducat of 1685 should be ₹4.50 or ₹5.50 I gave the owner credit for it at ₹4.50 I have asked him for a new statement when received if there is an error will inform you,

Since I wrote you yesterday I have partly arranged for the purchase for a superb collection of American gold from which if I succeed in buying

it I can probably supply any piece required of date prior to 1835 - with the exception of 1815 Half eagle. the collection is a very celebrated one which it once owned and is remarkable for completeness and quality.

Yours very truly

W. Elliot Woodward

Jun.

To

T. Harrison Garrett Esq.

Description of missing coins sent Mr T. H. Barrett Dec 19. 1882.

B. Military decoration in solid gold and cost £35. / for heliotype representation see plate inclosed.

H. Double Sovereign of Geo. IV This piece will be recognized by a small perforation above the head which on the reverse goes through the third figure of the date, the hole has been filled

W. A Five Franc piece of the Republic of France, a variety I have never met with before and presumed to be a pattern

P. A Twenty Franc piece of Napoleon possessing I think no peculiarity by which it can be identified.

ACID FREE
PH 8.5
THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

W. ELLIOT WOODWARD'S COIN SALE CATALOGUES.

Being in almost daily receipt of inquiries as to what catalogues of my series I am now able to furnish, and the prices of the same, I have prepared the following list as a general answer to all correspondents on the subject.

For most of my sales previous to No. 19, the editions of the catalogues were small, and several of them, including one Boston and one Providence Sale, cannot be obtained. Others are extremely rare, and several which can now be procured will in a short time be amongst the unobtainable.

A printed list giving an account, somewhat in detail, of the first thirty sales, will be sent on receipt of Twenty-five cents. The following numbers have reference to that list. All the catalogues are in good order, and neatly priced, mostly in red ink; a few have printed prices. The list is complete, and where a price is not given, the catalogue cannot be supplied.

A.	Boston, June, 1860; one soiled copy,	$5 00
1	Boston, July, 1860,	
2	Boston, October, 1860,	50
3	Boston, January, 1861,	
4	New York, November, 1862, Finotti Collection,	1 00
5	New York, April, 1863,	1 00
B.	New York, March, 1863, Smith Collection,	1 00
6	New York, October, 1863,	1 00
7	Providence, December, 1863,	
8	Providence, March, 1864,	1 00
9	New York, May, 1864, McCoy Collection,	1 00
9	Addenda,	50
9	Addenda, Betts's Fabrications,	2 00
10	New York, October, 1864, Semi-Annual, No. 5,	1 00
11	New York, March, 1865, Semi-Annual, No. 6,	4 00
12	New York, December, 1865, Semi-Annual, No. 7,	2 50
13	New York, February, 1866, Chambers Collection,	2 50
14	New York, April, 1866, Hoffman Collection, Semi-Annual, No. 8,	2 00
15	New York, December, 1866, Jencks & Paine Collection,	2 50
16	New York, April, 1867, Semi-Annual, No. 9,	2 00
16	Additional Catalogue,	1 00
17	New York, October, 1867, Mickley Collection, Semi-Annual, No. 10,	5 00

17 Addenda, ... 1 00
C. New York, December, 1871, Clay Collection, 2 plates, 1 50
18 New York, February, 1874, ... 1 00

All of the following are printed on extra heavy tinted paper, especially for collectors, and the editions strictly limited to fifty copies. Many are nearly out of print ; of some, I have no more than from one to five copies each ; several are illustrated, as indicated by the number and the abbreviation " P." for plate or plates. A number of the sales comprise few coins or medals, being mostly of archaeological objects.

19 New York, November, 1878, Holland Collection, . 3 00
20 New York, November, 1878, Woodward Collection, . 50
21 New York, March, 1879, Bowdoin Collection, . . 1 00
22 Boston, June, 1879, ... 1 00
23 New York, September, 1879, Pratt Collection, . . 1 00
24 Boston, October, 1879, ... 1 00
25 New York, December, 1879, Gerdts and others, . 1 00
26 Boston, January, 1880, Haines Collection, . . . 1 00
27 New York, March, 1880, Emery Collection, . . 1 00
28 New York, May, 1880, Searing Collection, . . 1 00
29 New York, June, 1880, Searing Collection, Bric-a-brac, 50
30 New York, June, 1880, Curtis Collection, . . . 1 00
31 New York, September, 1880, Jenks Collection, . . 1 00
32 New York, October, 1880, Haines Collection, thin paper, 1 P., ... 1 00
33 New York, December, 1880, Mercer Collection, 1 P., 1 00
34 New York, January, 1881, Jenks Collection, 2 P., . 1 25
35 New York, January, 1881, Hitchcock Collection . 75
36 New York, April, 1881, Clogston Collection, 1 P., . 1 00
37 New York, April, 1881, Clogston Collection, . . 75
38 New York, June, 1881, Marvin Collection, thin paper, 6 P., ... 1 00
39 New York, June, 1881, Jenison Collection, 1 P., . 1 00
40 New York, June, 1881, Jenison Collection, . . 75
41 New York, October, 1881, Woolley Collection, . 50
42 New York, October, 1881, Burton Collection, 2 P., . 1 25
43 New York, October, 1881, Ralston Collection, . . 1 00
44 Boston, January, 1882, Elmira Collection, . . . 75
45 New York, March, 1882, Dohrmann Collection, 4 P., 2 00
46 New York, April, 1882, Dietrich Collection, 2 P., . 1 25
47 Boston, June, 1882, Washburn Collection, 1 P., . 1 00
48 New York, June, 1882, Ralston Collection, . . 75
49 New York, July, 1882, The Montreal Collection, 1 P., 1 00
50 New York, October, 1882, The Ralston Collection, 2 P., 1 00

PACIFIC COAST
Pioneers
NEVADA
1849
BRIGADIER
GENERALS
MEDAL
N G C
1875
LIBERTY
1798
PATRIA VIGILANTIA GLORIA
1877
SCIENCE GIVES PEACE
AND AMERICA
PLENTY.
1840
LIBERTY
1795
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1792
WASHINGTON BORN FEB 22 1732
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MERCES LABORUM
X FINE FEINE
MARCH
TRADE DOLLAR

Roxbury, Mass.
Jan 11/83

T H Garrett Eq,
Dear Sir,

Failing to secure two lots of large silver coins which I hoped to get I send you the few that I have,
The double dollar of Leather I think is very scarce and this a very fine one
No 48 The 10 Francs piece of Geneva is the only one I have ever seen it is particularly rare and beautiful
No 49 Is perhaps out of the scope of your collecting I send it because it is massive and of admirable workmanship
The Roman coins Jos 12 to 28 taken as a lot I think are remarkably cheap and I believe would bring more money than is asked for them,
The same remark applies to the remaining numbers 29 to 39 but of course they are not so rare, The Roman gold does not belong to me, and I am limited in my time to report on it otherwise I should have waited to hear

I see you ask for your wants in American gold, I have not for years been able to offer such an assortment of varities as I happen to have now in my control, but which I am sorry to say are not mine, and are offered to me with the contingency that they may be sold to somebody else at any time, the lot contains about every thing rare or otherwise up to 1834 except the ½ eagle of 1815. one of the '20 and a ¼ eagle of '96 with stars, As soon as I hear from you I will secure for you what you want provided it is not to late

Yours very truly
W. Elliott Woodward,
Jr.

List of Coins sent to Mr T H Garrett, by W Attd Woodward Jan 11, 1883.

No	12	Aureus, Nero	15 00
W	14	Vespasian	15 00
W	18	Trajan	12 50
W	19	Hadrian	12 00
O	25	Velius	7 00
W	28	Honorius	7 50
W	29	Constantine X	8 00
W	30	Valentinianus	8 00
O	31	Theodorus	8 00
O	35	Justinius	7 50
O	38	Constantine X	8 00
O	39	" X	8 00
W	40	Quintuple Crown	31 50
W	41	Triple Crown	15 00
O	42	" "	15 00
O	43	Double " Brunswick & Lunebourg	12 00
O	44	" " Leopold & Claudius	9 00
O	45	Sede Vacante Medal double crown	7 00
W	46	Luther double dollar	8 00
O	47	Medal Crown Gustabus Adolphus	4 00
W	48	10 Francs, Geneva	15 00
W	49	Spanish Medal	5 00

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N. de BREE, President.

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NUMBER	SENT BY	REC'D BY		CHECK
107 Nymd	Fr	42 Rd		1152

Received at Jany 17 1883

Dated Boston Highlandmore

To Harrison Garrett Balto.

will you take Half eagles Ninety over 5 Six Ninety seven eighteen over two over three Nineteen twenty one twenty four six seven eight Nine quarter eagles eighteen five six twenty six all fine some nearly proof two hundred Dollars answer immediately owner Just leaving

This telegram has just been received at the office in Boston where any reply should be sent.

DIRECT WIRES.

W Elliott Woodward

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258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass. Jan. 7 1883.

Dear Sir:

The affidavit inclosed was prepared on the day I received your letter but thinking it better to have it acknowledged under the seal of a court of record a days delay occurred and then wishing to write you about the American gold I have held back my letter till now.

To day I have seen the owner and he declines any arrangement unless I purchase outright $725, with so that I fear I shall not be able to supply you with the required piece.

This letter which you will receive tomorrow will explain a telegram which leaves here at this moment, my reason for telegraphing is I am compelled to give my final answer today as the man leaves Boston tonight and takes the gold with

him, and if you send word that you will take the pieces I will buy the lot and take my chances,

Yours very truly
N Ellis Woodward,
pre.

To
T Harrison Garrett Esq.

I Fairfield Gilbert of Boston being duly sworn, depose and say

In the absence of Mr Woodward in New York on the 28th of Dec. 1882. I received from the Adams Express Co. a package of coins from Mr. T Harrison Garrett of Baltimore, the package was in perfect order, the seals were unbroken, and I opened it (being authorized to do so) without breaking the seals and reported its receipt to Mr Woodward

When examined I noted the absence of the several envelopes marked as follows, and their contents.

Envelope "B" contents a gold decoration military

" "H " " double Sovereign of Geo. IV

" "N Coin of the Republic of France dated 1848

" "P Twenty Franc piece of Napoleon I

The box with its contents was then placed in Mr Woodwards Safe, where it remained until his return,

I reported the deficiency to him but deeming it simply an accidental omission, did not attach any importance to it.

Fairfield Gilbert.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Suffolk ss. Boston January 11, 1883
Then the said Fairfield Gilbert personally appeared and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true before me

Giles H. Rich
Assistant Clerk of the
Municipal Court
of the Roberry District
of the City of Boston

ACID FREE
PH 8.5
THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Roxbury. Mass.
Jan 18, 1883.

T. Harrison Garrett. Esq.
Dear Sir.

Yesterday morning the man who owned the gold told me that he should leave town last night but should be at a store in the City till 6 p.m. your message arrived late I went in town in search of my party, found that he had left, but suspecting he might have delayed his journey on account of the storm, I went over to Brookline where I thought he might be, and had the good luck to find my surmise correct, and to make a long story short bought the entire collection.

I think I mentioned to you that I once owned the collection, but a much more interesting fact I did not mention the pieces formed the gold cabinet of Joseph J. Mickley, after purchasing his coins I sold the gold collection entire and it has now come back to me,

Living close to the mint and beginning

early Mr Wickley had facilities for co
lecting superior to any other person an
he knew well how to avail himself of
them. With possibly one exception I do
not believe that for quality the collectio
can be equalled they will average abou
like the piece concerning which I telegraph
you, which I doubt not you will agree
with me, are much better than the
terms of my message led you to expect
As I feel sure you would like to se
them whether you buy them or not I ha
picked out and send to you for ex-
amination and purchase if you want
them, the most remarkable pieces, re-
markable either for rarity or condition
The package of coins came safely and
I inclose memorandum of those retained
by you

Yours very truly
Walter Woodward
Pres.

List of American Gold sent Mr. T. H. Garrett on approval, Jan 18, 1883.

A 1797 Half Eagle 15 Stars, the 16 star variety the rarer of the two I put in your lot this is also uncommonly rare 25,00

B 1795 Half Eagle with large eagle reverse nearly proof and amongst the rarest of the rare 40,00

C 1798 Half eagle reverse, small eagle with the exception of this piece I never saw but one other that I sold for $125. I think it not less rare than the 1815. —— 100,00

D 1799 Half eagles one having large, and the other small stars in the constellation around the eagles head on the reverse either one. (2 pieces) 15,00

E 1806 Half Eagles variety in the dale in the figure 6. either one. (2 pieces) 8,00

F 1810 Half eagles different dies either one (2 pieces.) 8,00

G 1820 Half eagle I put in an acct. of its Magnificat Condition 25,00

H 1830 Half eagle I put in for the same reason 25,00

I 1797 Quarter Eagle The rarest of the series and said to be the finest existing Specimen, I believe all that are known show the break in the die, I send this piece at the price at which it was invoiced & me 75,00

K 1797 ~~Quarter~~ Eagle, small eagle reverse, four stars facing condition splendid, and the rarest variety of the Eagles 35,00

L. 1798. '99. 1801. '3 Eagles, Sent on account of superior
2 quality either one, (4 pieces) 18,00
M 1821 Quarter Eagle, proof I cannot find
a record of the sale of this piece 20,00
N 1827 Quarter eagle nearly proof 12,00

Roxbury, Mass.
Jan 23, 1883

T. H. Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir.

Your favor of Jan 22d reached me this morning, the package has not yet arrived but doubtless it will be here tomorrow, as requested I inclose full statement of ops. which I trust you will find correct

I will look out for you for Half Eagles 1802 & 3 plain dates if such exist, it is certainly strange if they do not and yet I do not find either of them in the catalogues which I have referred through I find the overdates

I have been looking up the subject of 1815 - 1/2 Eagles, I know of one abroad and am pretty certain there are three in this country I know of one in N.Y. some 20 years ago which I have lost the track of and am not certain whether it is one of the three referred to, if it is the number known is four if it is not there must be five

I am now trying to purchase one but if I get it shall have to pay $250. I once offered for the one refer to as in N.York $400, cash in behalf of Mr W A Leilliendahl my offer was declined and I never heard directly of the price afterwards,

Yrs very truly
Wallace Woodward,
pck.

Mr T H Garrett Roxbury Jan 23/83

In ofc with

W Elliot Woodward, Dr.

1883

Jan	11	To	No 14	Aurius Vespasian	15 00		
"	"	"	" 18	" Trajan	12 50		
"	"	"	" 19	" Hadrian	12 00		
"	"	"	" 28	" Honorius	7 50		
"	"	"	" 29	" Constantinus X	8 00		
"	"	"	" 30	" Valintinianus	8 00		
"	"	"	" 40	Quintuple Crown	31 50		
"	"	"	" 42	Triple "	15 00		
"	"	"	" 46	Double " Leuthen	8 00		
"	"	"	" 48	Fen Francs Geneva	15 00		
"	"	"	" 49	Spanish Medal	5 00		
"	18	"	" B	1795 1/2 Eagle	40 00		
"	"	"	" C	1798-1/2 "	100 00		
"	"	"	" D	1799 "	15 00		
"	"	"	" K	1797 "	35 00		
"	"	"	" Le	Two "	36 00		
"	" X	(a)	" N	1827 1/4 "	12 00		
"	"	"	"	Lot of Gold Coins 1/2			
"	"	"	"	Eagles 1796-7-1802-3			
"	"	"	"	-19-21-24-26-27-28			
"	" X	"	"	-29. Quarter Eagles 1805	250 00		
"	"	"	"	-6-26			
"	"	"	"	Bal on bill Dec 19-1882			
"	"	"	"	Lots B-N-P & H	42 50		
"	"	"	"	Bal on French Gold	10 00	678 00	

Cr

By 2-1/2 Eagles returned 16 00

662 00

Difference A & U. 13 00

$675 00

one charge lot gold 50 00

$625 00

Recd Payment E. E.

W Elliot Woodward,

J. C. G.

1883

H. E. Woodward

Jany 24

1300

F.H.L.

Roxbury, Mass.
Jan 25/83

To Le Garrett Esq,
Dear Sir,

I mailed you a letter late last evening, and this morning hasten to correct an error into which I fell,

The coins came safely last night and I then discovered that in your letter I mistook an "N" for an "A" hence in the bill I charged one, in place of the other, please find inclosed an amended bill

Last night I had a talk with a man whose knowledge of American gold is very extensive and he gave it as his opinion that all the 1801 & 2 1/2 Eagles are over strikes or altered dates, but afterwards said that possibly one of them might be found with a plain date,

Yours truly
Wilbert Woodward,
1/2

1883

W. E. Woodward
Roxbury

Dec. 16/82 to Jany 23/83

Coins
1882 1883 1884
1885

Roxbury, Mass.
Jan 30/83

T Harrison Garrett Esq.
Dear Sir,

Your favor of Jan 27th duly recived with remittance $625.75 for which I am very much obliged.

There is a mistake in regard to the dispatch sent you Jan 17th The rough draft I have before me, it was taken to the office by my assistant and there written on a blank, the amount named was intended to be $250.

Today I will obtain a copy of the original dispatch and if I find the mistake was ours I have not a word to say, for I would stand by my word if the sum named was but $2. instead of $200; if the dispatch proves to be correct I shall send you a copy and request your kind assistance in case the mistake is chargable to the Telegraph Co. in establishing that fact.

Your very truly
Walbot Woodward,
p. ec.

over

P.S. I think there is only one 1815 1/2 Eagle that can be bought, and the price fixed on that is $250. I know about the sale you refer to I think the price was $150. but the sale was sham. If you would like this piece please let me know and I will obtain it for you, I have not seen it but the owner who is an excellent judge says it is uncirculated

W.

1883
N.E. Woodward
Roxbury
Jany 30

Chinese Chop Dollar -	$4.00	32 - Theodosius II	$7.50
Washington Button -	4.00	27 - " 1 Mag.	10.
Newbern N. C. Medal	2.00	26 - Valens - Rev V. & V.	10.
Phila Rifle Club -	.25	34 - Justinianus I -	12.
D. Crown 1786 -	8.00	36 - Tib. Constantine	8.
40 - Constantine XI - Porphyr	13.	33 - Anastasius	9.
42 - Nicephorus Bot. Sol. -	15.		
41 - Michael V - "	6.50		
11 - Augustus - Aureus	15.		
13 - Nero - "	15.		

Roxbury, Mass.
Feb 1/83

To Harrison Garrett Esq,
Dear Sir,

I have just rec'd a little invoice of Ancient gold coins and as I propose to do while it is agreeable to you I give you the first chance at them, there are only a few but several of them are very fine and two or three I am informed are quite rare, I send no list as each envelope is marked,

It is rather difficult to obtain a copy I find, of a telegram but I shall presently obtain one mentioned in my last letter and will forward it to you,

Yours very truly
W Elliot Woodward,
Pres.

P.S. I have just succeeded in seeing the telegram as transcribed by my assistant and find that the offer, to you as telegraphed was $200, the original draft as I made it was $250, no fault of the Company in telegraphing, and you are correct

1883

W. E. Woodward

Roxbury

Feby 1st

Roxbury, Mass,
Feb 8/83

Mr T H Garrett,
bought of W Elliot Woodward,

✓	No 26 Aurus of Valens	10 00	
✓	" 27 Theodicus I	10 00	
✓	" 32 " II	7 50	
✓	" 33 Anastasius	9 00	
✓	" 34 Justinianus	12 00	
✓	" 36 Tiberius Const	8 00	56 50

T. H. G.

(over.)

Rec'd Payment
W. Elliot Woodward

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THE HOLLISTER CORPORATION

1883

W. E. Woodward

Feby 15

56 50

FAH

Hw 1815 1/2 Eagle
w hoo high at
$250. = J.W.Y.

Roxbury, Mass.
Feb 8/83

T H Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

Please find inclosed bill of coins retained from last invoice. Thank you this time, and all others for the prompt return of those not wanted, which greatly facilitates my business.

I congratulate you sincerely on the good bargain you got on the lot of American gold coins that I telegraphed you about, my luck was not quite so good but I have nothing to say.

I can get an 1815 ½ Eagle but the owner is stiff at $250, it is the same one once put into an auction and bid in at $150, if you want the piece I will get it for you at any time.

Yours truly
Wallace Woodward,
p.s.

1883

N. E. Woodward
Roxbury
Feby 8

Roxbury Mass.
Feb 24/83

T Harrison Garrett Esq.
Dear Sir,

I have a few remarkable fine pieces of Roman gold which thinking you would be glad to see I send for your examination, they do not belong to me and the price seems rather high but perhaps it is not taking into account their remarkable condition, On the four pieces marked 160, 200, 210, & 220, I can make a reduction of 5%, and these are the only ones that strike me as any way dear

I avail myself of the opportunity to send you some American gold which I have just bought many of the pieces are common, though it is always hard to pick up a date that is wanted, if you need the pieces you will not object to the pieces, many of them you will observe are marked at a little more than a nominal advance

Yours very truly, Wallet Woodward

OVER.

P.S. I have sets of gold proofs for 1862-'64-'65 each 6 pcs. par value each $41.50 they cost in gold when issued $43, each at a period when gold was worth anywhere from 1,20 & 28. gold being so very dear at the time the number issued was very limited probably not above 1/2 a doz especially of '64 & '65 counting interest they must stand the man of whom I bought them at over $300, a set, I offer them ~~at~~ to you at $48, a set, the offer being contingent on ~~their~~ not being sold before I hear from you

W.

W. G. Woodward
Roxbury
Telly 24
1883

Coins sent Mr J H Garrett on Approval
by M C Woodward Feb 24-1883.

1	1798	Eagle	4 stars facing	Fair	28,00
2	1/2	"	Bechtler	O	7,00
3	1/2	"	Pikes Peak	VF	8,00
4	1831	1/4 "	Nearly Proof	O	8,00
5	1830	1/4 "		O	8,00
6	1832	" "	" "	O	8,00
7	1834	" "	Proof	O	8 00
8	1836	" "	Nearly Proof	O	6 00
9	1855	1/3.	Price	VF	310
10	1854	3 "		O	330
11	1856	" "		VF	3,15
12	1857	" "		O	318
13	1858	" "		O	310
14	1859	" "		O	310
15	1861	" "		O	310
16	1862	" "		O	310
17	1863	" "		VF	325
18	1871	" "		O	315
19	1872	" "	Nearly Proof	O	318
20	1877	" "		O	310
21	1878	" "		O	310
22	1838	1/4	Eagle	O	400
23	1839	1/4	"	O	350
24	1841	1/4	"	O	350
25	1841	1/4	"	O	350
26	1846	"	"	O	300
27	1845	"	"	O	350
28	1847	"	"	O	3,50

29 1846 ¼ Eagle O 350
30 1847 " " O 300
31 1848 " " O 275
32 1849 " " rare O 400
33 1850 " " W 275
34 1851 " " W 275
35 1852 " " W 300
36 1853 " " W 275
37 1854 " " O 275
38 15 Quarter eagles each (4) O 260
39 1879 " " Proof O 300
40 1852 Cal. Dollar. O 300
41 Fractional gold 11 pieces each O 100
210 Aurius Marcus Aurelius 5% off 30,00
200 " Hadrian rev Jupiter " " 2400
160 " Domitian rev Pallas " " 1800
224 " Faustina " " " 2600
Louis " Gratianus O 9000
" V. Valens O 10,00
473 Mauretania Juba O 450

List of Coins Sent Mr Garrett by W E Woodward Feb 28/83

No 1	1800	Eagle	W	18.00
" 3	1799	"	O	20,00
" 4	1803	"	O	20,00
" 5	1795	1/2 "	O	8,00
" 6	1800	1/2 "	O	6,50
" 8	1802	" "	O	6,00
" 10	1802	" " variety	O	7,00
" 11	1803	" "	O	6,50
" 13	1806	" "	W	7,00
" 14	1807	" "	W	7,50
" 15	1807	" "	O	9 00
" 16	1808	" "	W	7 00
" 17	1809	" "	O	6,50
" 18	1811	" "	W	8,00
" 19	1812	" "	W	7,50
" 20	1818	" "	O	10,00
" 23	1823	" "	O	12,00
" 24	1832	" "	O	14.00
" 25	1833	" "	O	15,00
" 26	1834	" " proof	W	10,00
" 27	1836	" "	O	5,50
" 28	1835	" "	O	5,50
" 29	1837	" O "		5,50
" 30	1839	" O " Daholonega mint		5 50
" 32	1850	" W " C. for California scarce		6 50

43 - 1839 Eagle		10,50
44 - 1842 "		1050
45 - 1843 "		10,50
46 - 1848 "	"O"	10,50
49 - 1854 "		10,25
52 - 1829 1/4 "	proof.	10,50
39 - 1836 " "	" scarce	20,00
53 - 1835 " "	nearly "	1000
54 - 1837 " "		500
55 - Ten, one dollar pieces.	each	400
2 Gold proof sets	each	1,10
		48,00

W. E. Woodward

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar 15/93

T. Harrison Garrett Esq.
Dear Sir,

I attended the Fowle sale all through and succeeded in getting a fair proportion of what you ordered, prices ruled very high, Most of the things that I missed on your bids were bought by a party on unlimited orders, what I did procure though, was able to make a large saving on, and I feel certain you will be pleased with the purchase,

Thursday night a man leaving the sale to take a train for Phil. grabbed up my goods instead of his own, and carried them home, the mistake was discovered at once here and by him and they will be back in Boston today, as the porters at the Auction room knew nothing of packing coins I shall have yours sent to me and I will pack them carefully and forward them on Tuesday, I mailed

you a catalogue of a sale to take
place in N York Mar 16.7. you will
notice that it contains a wonderful
collection of Papal Medals, I wish I
could be at the sale but cannot, but
I shall be represented there by a judicious
buyer who attends to all my orders with-
out expense, and if you desire to send
any orders they will be taken on the
same terms, this service is rendered
me by a friend who attends all the
sales, for whom I am occasionally
able to do a favor, so there is really
no special obligation about it,

I bought from my old friend Mr
Taylor his rare and desirable pieces
in the silver and copper series several
years ago, the gold I bought recently
and you have had a view of it so
think of every desirable piece, his
collection did not contain the 1831, ½ Eag.
but I have recently parted with one to
whom I cannot say, I will try and get
you one,

Yours truly
Wallet Woodward

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THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

Mr T Harrison Garrett Roxbury Mar 3/83
bought of
W Elliot Woodward,

No 3	Pikes Peak ½ Eagle	✓	8 00	
" 9	1855 - $3. piece	✓	3 10	
" 11	1856 - 3 "	✓	3 15	
" 17	1863 - " "	✓	3 25	
" 33	1850 - ¼ Eagle	✓	2 75	
" 34	1851 - "	✓	2 75	
" 35	1852 - " "	✓	3 00	
" 36	1853 - " "	✓	2 75	
" 38	1855 - " "	✓	2 60	
" "	1867 - " "	✓	2 60	
" "	1870 - " "	✓	2 60	
" "	1871 - " "	✓	2 60	
	2 Proof sets in gold	✓	96 00	$135 15

J.N.G.

Rec'd Payment
W. Elliot Woodward.

Roxbury Mar 8/83

Mr. T Harrison Garrett
Bought of W Elliot Woodward

No 1	1 - 1800 Eagle	18 00	
" 13	1 - 1806 ½ "	7 00	
" 14	1 - 1807 " "	7 50	
" 16	1 - 1808 " "	7 00	
" 18	1 - 1811 " "	8 00	
" 19	1 - 1812 " "	7 50	
" 26	1 - 1834 " " proof	10 00	
" 32	1 - 1850 " " "C"	6 50	
" 49	1 - 1854 Eagle	10 50	82 00

J.N.G.

Rec'd Payment
W.E. Woodward.

1888.

W. E. Woodward
Mch 3rd
$135.15

1883.

W. E. Woodward
Mch 8th
$82.

List of gold coins sent T. H. Garrett, on approval July 6. 1882

No 2190	R.	Geo. iv double sovereign	10 00	
" 2196	R.	Geo. I Quarter guinea	1 50	
2201	R.	Geo. III. ⅓ "	2 00	
2202	✓	Geo III. ½ "	3 00	3 00
2203	R.	Anna "	6 00	
2219	✓	Geo. V. Hanover. Krone	10 00	10 00
2239	R.	Jamus I. ½ Laurel	4 50	
2264	R.	Chas. IX France	3 00	
2265		Louis XVI. Louis d'Or 1789.	6 00	6 00
2266		Napoleon. 20 Francs 1808	4 50	4 50
2269		" " " Aug 12	4 50	4 50
2270	✓	" Italy 40 Lire 1809	9 00	9 00
2274	✓	" 20 Francs 1811	4 50	4 50
2275	✓	Cath II Russia. Double Imperial 1767	10 00	10 00
2281	✓	" " " Rouble or ½ Rouble	1 00	1 00
2282	R.	Russia 6 Roubles platena from the Dohrmann sale and the only one I have ever met with	22 00	
2283	R.	Gulden. gold. of the Netherlands	3 00	
2285		Motto Ducat of Germany.	2 75	2 75
2286	✓	Ducat of Hamburg	3 00	3 00
2287	✓	Monaco. 20 Francs	5 00	5 00
2290	✓	Zurich. ¼ Ducat.	1 00	1 00
2291	✓	Bavaria. Wm IV Chaise d'Or	5 00	5 00
2294	✓	Luther 1661.	30 00	30 00
2295	R.	Coin of Castile & Leon. John I. 1789-'90	8 00	
2296	R.	Bazantine A.D. 1068	6 00	
2300	R.	Augsburg Centennial Ducat	4 00	
2301	✓	Portugal. Doubloon	17 50	17 50
2303	R.	Japanese Cobang.	7 50	11 75
2304	R.	" "	7 50	
2327	R.	" "	8 00	
2331	R.	Gold Badge or Medal original cost $35.00	20 00	
2345	R.	Cal. Double eagle, part of a hoard of $400. recently found which has never been in circulation	25 00	

116.75

2360	Eagle 1852. Same lot.	12 50	12 50
2365	" 1853 " "	12 50	12 50
2367	Japan 20 Yen.	25 00	25 00
2384	" 10 Yen.	12 50	12 50
2385	" 5 "	6 25	6 25
2388	" 2 "	2 50	2 50
2389	" 1 "	1 25	1 25
2390	" Old Nibon.	4 00	
2392	" Cobang	8 50	
2397	1799 Eagle	15 00	
2418	Double Frederic d'Or. Denmark	10 00	10 00
2423	England. Chas I Sovereign	10 00	10 00
2437	Ducat 1734.	3 50	3 50
2452	" Austria	3 00	3 00
2453	Turkey.	2 00	
2456	Ancient Roman. Valentinius AD 364-375 Aurius	12 00	12 00
			227 75

A collection of French gold numbering 27 pieces from Philip VI. 1328. to Louis XV. 1774.
This collection was formed by a gentleman in Paris many years ago who says he repeatedly refused 2500 francs for it; it is now the property of a correspondent in San Francisco, and will be sold as a whole at 250 00

Mr T Harrison Garrett,

Roxbury, July 18/82

To
W Elliot Woodward Dr.

To No	2202	3 00	
" "	2219	10 00	
" "	2265	6 00	
" "	2266	4 50	
" "	2269	4 50	
" "	2270	9 00	
" "	2274	4 50	
" "	2275	10 00	
" "	2281	1 00	
" "	2285	2 75	
" "	2286	3 00	
" "	2287	5 00	
" "	2290	1 00	
" "	2291	5 00	
" "	2294	30 00	
" "	2301	17 50	
" "	2360	12 50	
" "	2365	12 50	
" "	2367	25 00	
" "	2384	12 50	
" "	2385	6 25	
" "	2388	2 50	
" "	2389	1 25	
" "	2418	10 00	
" "	2423	10 00	
" "	2437	3 50	
" "	2452	8 00	
" "	2456	12 00	232.75
	Recd Payment		
	× Should be $3.00		5 00
			$227.75

No 2452 appears on the original list as $8. but it is undoubtedly a 3 with the loops nearly or quite connected making it appear like an 8. Mr Woodward is away. Think you for check received F. Gilbert clerk

J. H. G.

Recd Payment
W Elliot Woodward
pdr.

No 2303 Cobang 7 50 was returned, but not so mentioned in your letter. Did you wish to retain it at that price?—

1882

W. E. Woodward

July 28

$22.75

J. A. G.

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THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
ARLINGTON VIRGINIA

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar 13/83

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir.

I was fortunate enough to get your box started last night, and the medals which are in beautiful preservation as a general rule I inclosed in separate papers and think they will reach you safely, many of the things missed were bought by a party on unlimited orders so that no reasonable offer could have bought them, a few I missed by accident the auctioneer sold with great rapidity, a few more perhaps two or three bid on by you I bought for a little collection of my own, this however made no difference to you as I would have paid considerably more for them than I did,

I avail myself of the opportunity to send you a lot of coins for examination recently received from Germany, I suppose the lot contains some curious and desirable things, the coins of the Longobardi

I do not believe can be found in any American collection, and considering their rarity they seem to me cheap, a single one is sometimes found as you are aware but I think they are all very rare, I had not time to prepare the invoice and the marked envelopes render one unnecessary.

The Fractional Currency in the sale all went to a dealer who informs me that he gets from 10¢ to 25¢ for each piece.

You will find in the box sent you probably the largest and finest collection of this Currency which exists, it was formed during the War by a gentleman in Phila. that with a double set of the Fractional Currency of the U.S. he sold for $1200, it was for a long time offered to me with the Fractional first for $1000 - then for $900. The Fractional which was valued at $200. was finally sold and subsequently I purchased this collection at a greatly reduced price I now send it to you on approval feeling sure you will be glad to look it over if you do not wish to buy it, as to quality the collection needs no

commendation, and as for duplicating it or forming one of similar magnitude I think it would be impossible, the price is $250—

Yours very truly
Wellcot Woodward.
pck

1863

W. E. Woodward

Mch. 13th

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar 13/83

Mr T. Harrison Garrett
To
Wallet Woodward, Dr.
To Coins bought of S.B.&L. 21475
" Packing 100 # 21575

T.H.G.

Recd Payment
Wallet Woodward

1883.
W. E. Woodward
Mch 13th
$215.75

Roxbury, Mass.
Jan 17, 13

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.

Dear Sir,

Your favors one of which inclosed check for $28.75 for which I am much obliged, both came to hand today.

I think with you that the coins sent are high priced but unfortunately they are not my own and I get but a moderate commission for selling them I am unable to abate any thing from the price, I wish I could.

My remarks concerning price do not fairly apply to the whole lot, for I think that many are reasonable, and some very cheap.

Have you the 1826-½ eagle?— I can answer the question myself, I think I remember I sold you one, it is a very rare piece and I expect to receive one today and thought I would offer it to you

Do you collect Confederate Notes?—

I have the rarest note of the Series
#500, of the Montgomery issue, also the #100-
note same issue both extremely fine a
collector has the refusal of them but
quite likely will not take them

Yours very truly
W. Elliot Woodward
Pres.

1883
W. E. Woodward
Aug. 17th

W. E. Woodward

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar. 21/83

J. Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

I inclose the two Confederate Notes the price of which is $50.— I never owned one of the $500, before the one sold in Dec in the Haas collection cost $45. I had a bid on it at $39. but bought it for $35. The one that I have is much finer than the one sold indeed mine as you will see is nearly perfect, the other was fine but by no means up to this.

I think I gave you a part of the history of the collection of Fractional Currency some years ago it was offered to me first with the U.S. Fractional, afterwards first as it is, for what I thought an immense price, it being $800, I afterwards bought it at a great reduction, but it is one of my sales it was bought by Mr Burton for $150. and when I bought his collection it came back to me or rather I became

Mr Haines who purchased the collection with me, and at the Burton sale I purchased the collection, since then I have made no effort to sell it thinking I would keep it myself, ha offered it to one man only who wrote me the other day to know if I still retain it, The collection itself is unique many persons during the war myself included made collections of this currency Mr Wiggin of Boston also collected with a good deal of earnestness but I do not think our combined collections comprise 400 pieces, this I think has nearly 200 and a lifetime would not suffice to get together another such collection now,

Yours very truly
Wellet Woodward.
J. W. S.

P.S. Will have priced for you a Fowler Catalogue and send you also a Burton Catalogue with plates

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar 13/83

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W Elliot Woodward.
pck

W. E. Woodward

Mch 13th

ACID FREE
PH 8.5
THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
PETERSBURG VIRGINIA

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar 27/83

T Harrison Garrett, Esq.

Dear Sir,

Please find inclosed bill for coins, also bill for the Confederate Notes, to this latter please add the price as per my letter I have mislaid my memorandum.

The collection of Fractional Currency is I think cheap at $300, or $400, I can sell it at any time for $150, but decline to do so all known collections put together would not suffice to duplicate it.

Yours very truly
W Elliot Woodward,
Jr.

1883

W. C. Woodward

March 27th

Mr T Harrison Garrett

Roxbury, Mass.
Mar 27/83

To Wellid Woodward, Dr.

1883

No 29 ✓	7 50	
32 ✓	14 00	
34 ✓	14 00	
36 ✓	10 00	
1 ✓	4 50	
78 ✓	3 50	
80 ✓	3 50	
88 ✓	6 00	
91 ✓	5 50	
192 ✓	5 —	
209 ✓	2 —	
328 ✓	4 —	
75 ✓	3 —	$ 82 50

Roxbury, Mar 27/83

T Harrison Garrett

To Wellid Woodward Dr.

To 2 Confederate bills 50 00

$ 132 50

T.H.G.

Recd Payment
Apr 3/83 Wellid Woodward,
in ctr.

1855

W E Woodward

April 3

132 50

JAH

ACID FREE
PH 8.5
THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
ARCHIVAL VERSION

Roxbury, Mass.
April 3. / 83

T. Harrison Garrett Esq
Dear Sir.

For your remittance
of $132.50 I am much obliged.

Of course I am not sure but I believe
you have got the best $500. Montgomery bill
extant. I have been trying for 5 or 6 years
to get those two bills, but could not succeed
till a few days ago, they were sent
to a friend of mine just after the war in
payment of a debt with a promise of re-
demption, my friend is dead and whether
that redeemer lives or not I am not
sure.

Yours very truly
Wellington Woodward.
per.

1883

H. E. Woodward.

Apl. 3d

Roxbury, Mass.
Apr 9. 1883

T Harrison Garrett Esq.
Dear Sir.

I send you herewith two lots of coins for examination and in the hope that you will find something to add to your collection, as all the envelopes are marked with prices I do not send an invoice, and if you will be kind enough to keep the two lots separate you will oblige me.

I think the lot in the black box an unusually attractive one.

Yours very truly
Wellist Woodward.
pck.

1883

W E Woodward
Roxbury
April 9

T Harrison Garrett Esq

Present.

Roxbury, Mass.
Apr. 18/83

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

Your favor rec'd, and the coins came safely to hand.

So far as the prices are concerned they seem to me high but compared with an invoice I received to day from Germany they are the ne plus ultra of moderation, however that may be the margin on which I sell them is so small as scarcely to pay for handling, but ordering constantly from the people who send them I occasionally pick up a good bargain which my customers get the benefit of.

On the first invoice from which your purchases were made the owner makes a discount of 10% and I discount you from the invoice price 5%, the last 4 lots allow me no margin for dis.

I have a little collection about 31 per 25 of them are coins of the Knights of Malta varying in size from the Taro to the double Scudo, 6 are Coins of the Crusaders they are a very curious lot and are invoiced to-

me at $52.70. I paid $1. expense on them from Europe and am allowed a dis of 10 % as a collection they are quite remarkable here once in a while we find a coin of this Order but they occur only at intervals and I don't suppose that anybody in the country has so many as 30. If you would like this little collection at the net price of $52.70 I will send it to you.

An article on these coins you have probably noticed in the Am. Jour. of Num.

Have you seen Appletons article in the last number of the Journal on Italian Medals of the Renaissance period?— I am informed that some of these medals are bringing enormous prices in Europe I have quite a number of them which came to me in the Lewis Col. and I am holding them back till I can learn more about them,

Yours very truly
Walter Woodward,
Mass.

W. E. Woodward
Roxbury
April 18
1883

258 Dudley St
Roxbury Mass
Apr 18/83

Mr T Harrison Garrett
bought of W Elliot Woodward,

Coin No 5	✓	4 50	
" " 6	✓	3 50	
" " 10	✓	1 50	
" " 11	✓	1 50	
" " 13	✓	1 75	
" " 29	✓	4 50	
" " 56	✓	3 50	
" " 76	✓	30 00	
" " 83	✓	24 00	
" " 127	✓	6 00	
" " 137	✓	6 00	
" " 138	✓	5 50	
" " 139	✓	6 00	
" " 147	✓	1 75	
" " 252	✓	4 00	
" " 264	✓	10 00	
" " 330	✓	3 00	117 00
" " 365	✓	4 00	
" " 365	✓	4 00	
" " 476	✓	1 50	
" " 311	✓	13 00	139 50
Cr By dis. on first 17 lots 5%			$ 5 85
Bal. due			133 65

T.N.G.

Rec'd Payment
W. Elliot Woodward

54 medals -

W E Woodward

April 18

1336 5

JHG

Roxbury, Mass.
Apr 26/83

T H Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

I have been sick or should have answered your letter of the 24th before,

You say "send the two lots of coins for examination" I shall send tomorrow the one lot (The Knights of Malta) and I confess I am so forgetful or stupid that I cannot call to mind the other lot to which you refer,

I am sorry I cannot be more liberal in my offer for the coins which you sent me, The Masonic Ducat and the 1/4 Eagle of '65 are salable as coins for the rest I have no market

For the gold I can allow $83, and for the medals $7,80

Yours very truly
Walter Woodward,
pres

1883

W E Woodward
Roxbury
April 26

Roxbury, Mass.
Apr 30/82

T Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

I am just off for N.Y. but tomorrow will be sent you your own lot of coins and the little lot of Ancient Italian, a full a/c of all these medals will be found in the Trasor Numismatique the vol described in my catalogue No 1079

As to the medals themselves I am told that the series is attracting great attention in Europe, and that some of them sell for enormous prices, wholly ignorant of the value of mine I am equally willing to sell them for $100. the lot or keeping them they may be worth much more, and I do not know that they are worth $20. I am sure you will be interested in looking them over, and that will sufficiently reward me for sending them

You must not think me illiberal because I could not offer you more for the coins and medals which you

sent me, but the truth is they are not adapted to my trade and if I purchased I should have to use the bulk of gold as currency only a few of the pieces having a numismatic value.

I shall hope to hear from you as my sale in N.Y. this week,

Yours very truly
W. Elliot Woodward,
pro

W E Woodward
Roxbury
April 30
1883

Roxbury, Mass.
May 9. 1883

T. Harrison Garrett Esq.
Dear Sir.

Have just rec'd from N.Y. & Phil. and find your favors awaiting me, including the two packages of coins and medals for all of which I am much obliged.

The rare gold which you have bought of me lately you secured just at the right time, the rare pieces of the American gold series, those that are strictly rare are now commanding almost any price.

Yours very truly,
Elliot Woodward,

1883

W E Woodward
Roxbury
May 9

Roxbury, Mass.
May 25/83

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.

Dear Sir,

Please find inclosed bill of coins retained by you which I believe is correct, the last package of coins returned arrived safely.

When at my home we had some talk about an 1815 Half Eagle, I have now got an 1815 1/2 Eagle which will appear in my 58th Sale June 25. 26. the piece is very fine, it is also genuine and so far as I am aware there is but one other collection that contains a genuine specimen in this country, there is one in Sweden, and a gentleman who owned another is now dead and I think did not possessed of the piece, I offered him $400. for it he declined any less price than $500. and whether he ever parted with it or not I do not know, the four which I mention I think complete the list of all known genuine specimens.

Yours very truly
Elliot Woodward,

1883

W. E. Woodward
Roxbury
May 25

Mr T Harrison Garrett, Roxbury Mass. May 25/83

bought of W Ellet Woodward

No. 3. ✓			9 00
" 12 ✓			4 00
" 29 ✓			1 00
" 34 ✓			3 00
" 37 ✓			15 00
" 44 ✓			4 00
" 48 ✓			2 50
" 61 ✓			3 50
" 70 ✓			3 00
" 64	0		1 00
" 65	0		1 00
" 73	0		2 50
" 26 a ✓			31 00
" 38 " ✓		X	22 00
" 45 "	0		5 00
" 42 " ✓			20 00
" 56 B ✓			3 00
" 38 " ✓			4 50
" 40 "	0		3 50
" 30 " ✓			3 50
" 39 " ✓			3 75

$ 145 75

13 00

$ 132 75

X Error -

Rec'd Payment,
June 1, 1883
W Ellet Woodward
p ch.

Check $132,75 rec'd. Thank you, Mr Woodward is now on his way to Mpk
Gilbert, Chas.

W E Woodward
June 11
132 95

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258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass. June 6 1883

Dear Sir:

The loss of a mss. ready for the printer which I was compelled to write a second time has kept me very busy since I received your favor.

I find that Nos 64-65-73-45a & 40b. were all returned to me, please deduct them from the bill and excuse the error.

Yours very truly
W Elliot Woodward
Jr.

To
T Harrison Garrett Esq.

1883

W E Woodward

Roxbury

Jewels

Roxbury, Mass.
June 25/78

T Harrison Garrett. Esq.
Dear Sir.

As Mr Woodward was leaving for New York he desired me to forward you a package of cards, which I sent to day by Adams Express pre-paid

Yours truly
F Gilbert.

Forward $125

1883

W. E. Woodward

Roxbury

June 25

Roxbury Mass
Jun 30/83

T H Garrett, Esq,
Dear Sir.

Please find inclosed memorandum of coins retained by you which I trust will be found correct.

I have just received from Europe a pretty nice lot of medals, and wishing you to see them, I have hastily packed them classifying them only by price as I have not time to do more and send them for your examination trusting they will reach you before you leave home,

Yours very truly,
Walter Woodward,
pres.

P.S. The bulk of the medals I send you I have never seen before some are, very fine, and the price I think is little if any more than half of what such medals are selling for, I do not own them, they are sent as a consignment and the price being left for me I

have taken good care to make it pleasa
able,

W.

1883

McWoodward
Roxbury
June 3

Roxbury, Mass.
July 6/83

Mr. T. Harrison Garrett,

bought of W. Ellis Woodward,

2	Medals	of No 1	3 00
2	"	" " 2	3 00
2	"	" " 3	2 00
1	"	" " 8	50
3	"	" " 9 &c	75
			# 9 25

Recd Payment.
W. Ellis Woodward.
per L.

Thank you.

W E Woodward
July 6
925

Roxbury, Mass.
July 31, 83

T. Harrison Garrett Esq.
Dear Sir.

I own, and shall have in my possession presently 23 full proof sets of American gold 1866 1883 inclusive wanting only 1861, all I believe are in perfect order many of them in the papers in which they left the mint the early sets as you are aware cost $43, in gold when gold was worth from 1,20 to 2,85. I do not know what you or other collectors may have but I have never seen or heard of so extensive a line of American proof gold

The entire set is for sale, and if you would like to buy it I will buy of you such sets, or what would be the same thing retain such sets as you may have in your Cabinet providing the

the number is small the idea is this I want the whole to go together and while I would not like to break them up would have no objection to having a few odd sets in stock the lowest price for the whole line is $1500.

If you do not purchase please do me the favor not to mention that I have offered them to you.

I spent a day in Baltimore lately and should have called on you had you been in the City.

Yours very truly
Wellit Woodward.

Jan 2

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W. E. Woodward
Rotbury
Jan 31

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258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass. Aug 4 1883

Dear Sir:

I send you a lot of medals for examination.

Many are good and desirable but the prices are too ~~light~~ high. I ~~path~~ send in original envelope as said at price charged to me subject to a discount of 10% and no more to me - to you prices that is marked.

Yours very Truly

W. Elliot Woodward.

J. Harrison Garrett Esq.

1883

W. E. Woodward

Roxbury

Aug 4

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THE HOLLINGER CORPORATION
PETERSBURG, VIRGINIA

1883

W. E. Woodward

Roxbury Aug 18 1883

F. H. Garrett. Esq.

Dear Sir

Your favor of the 11th inst duly rec'd but the coins mentioned as returned have not yet arrived. As the delay is unusual I write to let you know about it. I presume though they will come along all right.

I send you by to days express a very remarkable little parcel. It contains a set of the 1879 patterns as follows 6 Silver dollars - 3 Half dollars - 2 Quarters and 3 Dimes - I am informed that no other set ever left the mint. They do not belong to me. and the owner will not sell them to me unless I will pledge myself not to put them in an auction sale. this of course I will not do. The price of the set is $175 - this is $25 - off from the price that they were first offered to me at with the

condition named.

I send also 2 pattern copper dollars One the Commercial Dollar by Barber. plain edge the other the Commercial Dollar by Longacre reeded edge.

For this pair of I do not return them I am to pay $75 net. If you buy them the price is 10 o/o above what I am to pay say $82.50

I am sorry you decide against the gold proofs - I know of no similar collection - Appleton has none - Parmelee left off his series year ago. and I know of no collector who has anything approaching so full a line. Several of the sets are worth at least $75 or $80 each.

Yours Very Truly

W. Elliot Woodward.

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W. ELLIOT WOODWARD'S COIN SALE CATALOGUES.

Being in almost daily receipt of inquiries as to what catalogues of my series I am now able to furnish, and the prices of the same, I have prepared the following list as a general answer to all correspondents on the subject.

For most of my sales previous to No. 19, the editions of the catalogues were small, and several of them, including one Boston and one Providence Sale, cannot be obtained. Others are extremely rare, and several which can now be procured will in a short time be amongst the unobtainable.

A printed list giving an account, somewhat in detail, of the first thirty sales, will be sent on receipt of Twenty-five cents. The following numbers have reference to that list. All the catalogues are in good order, and neatly priced, mostly in red ink; a few have printed prices. The list is complete, and where a price is not given, the catalogue cannot be supplied.

A.	Boston, June, 1860; one soiled copy,	$5 00
1	Boston, July, 1860,	
2	Boston, October, 1860,	50
3	Boston, January, 1861,	
4	New York, November, 1862, Finotti Collection,	1 00
5	New York, April, 1863,	1 00
B.	New York, March, 1863, Smith Collection,	1 00
6	New York, October, 1863,	1 00
7	Providence, December, 1863,	
8	Providence, March, 1864,	1 00
9	New York, May, 1864, McCoy Collection,	1 00
9	Addenda,	50
9	Addenda, Betts's Fabrications,	2 00
10	New York, October, 1864, Semi-Annual, No. 5,	1 00
11	New York, March, 1865, Semi-Annual, No. 6,	4 00
12	New York, December, 1865, Semi-Annual, No. 7,	2 50
13	New York, February, 1866, Chambers Collection,	2 50
14	New York, April, 1866, Hoffman Collection, Semi-Annual, No. 8,	2 00
15	New York, December, 1866, Jencks & Paine Collection,	2 50
16	New York, April, 1867, Semi-Annual, No. 9,	2 00
16	Additional Catalogue,	1 00
17	New York, October, 1867, Mickley Collection, Semi-Annual, No. 10,	5 00

17 Addenda, ... 1 00

C. New York, December, 1871, Clay Collection, 2 plates, 1 50

✓ 18 New York, February, 1874, ... 1 00

All of the following are printed on extra heavy tinted paper, especially for collectors, and the editions strictly limited to fifty copies. Many are nearly out of print ; of some, I have no more than from one to five copies each ; several are illustrated, as indicated by the number and the abbreviation " P." for plate or plates. A number of the sales comprise few coins or medals, being mostly of archaeological objects.

✓ 19 New York, November, 1878, Holland Collection, . 3 00

20 New York, November, 1878, Woodward Collection, . 50

21 New York, March, 1879, Bowdoin Collection, . . 1 00

22 Boston, June, 1879, ... 1 00

23 New York, September, 1879, Pratt Collection, . . 1 00

24 Boston, October, 1879, ... 1 00

✓ 25 New York, December, 1879, Gerdts and others, . 1 00

26 Boston, January, 1880, Haines Collection, . . . 1 00

✓ 27 New York, March, 1880, Emery Collection, . . 1 00

28 New York, May, 1880, Searing Collection, . . 1 00

29 New York, June, 1880, Searing Collection, Bric-a-brac, 50

30 New York, June, 1880, Curtis Collection, . . . 1 00

✓ 31 New York, September, 1880, Jenks Collection, . . 1 00

32 New York, October, 1880, Haines Collection, thin paper, 1 P., ... 1 00

33 New York, December, 1880, Mercer Collection, 1 P., 1 00

34 New York, January, 1881, Jenks Collection, 2 P., . 1 25

35 New York, January, 1881, Hitchcock Collection . 75

36 New York, April, 1881, Clogston Collection, 1 P., . 1 00

37 New York, April, 1881, Clogston Collection, . . 75

38 New York, June, 1881, Marvin Collection, thin paper, 6 P., ... 1 00

39 New York, June, 1881, Jenison Collection, 1 P., . 1 00

40 New York, June, 1881, Jenison Collection, . . 75

41 New York, October, 1881, Woolley Collection, . 50

42 New York, October, 1881, Burton Collection, 2 P., . 1 25

43 New York, October, 1881, Ralston Collection, . . 1 00

44 Boston, January, 1882, Elmira Collection, . . . 75

✓ 45 New York, March, 1882, Dohrmann Collection, 4 P., 2 00

46 New York, April, 1882, Dietrich Collection, 2 P., . 1 25

47 Boston, June, 1882, Washburn Collection, 1 P., . 1 00

48 New York, June, 1882, Ralston Collection, . . 75

49 New York, July, 1882, The Montreal Collection, 1 P., 1 00

50 New York, October, 1882, The Ralston Collection, 2 P., 1 00

✓ 54 Haas - Dec 82

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Coin Catalogue

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258 Dudley Street, *Roxbury, Mass.* Aug 24 1883

Dear Sir:

The coins arrived on the 22nd inst. This a matter of no consequence but I am curious to know if you prepaid the parcel & me as the Company collected here.

In the enclosed Bill I charge you for No 65 $1.25 - I miss it and as I do not find it in the list of coins sent to you I suspect it lost here. If not sent to you please strike it off.

Yours Very Truly

W. Elliot Woodward

1883

W E Woodward

Roxbury

Aug 3rd

Roxbury, Mass.
Aug 31/83

T Harrison Garrett Esq.

Dear Sir,

Please find inclosed amended bill. No 41 was checked as returned but a blot of ink fell on the spot and the check was overlooked

No 65 I was in hopes I had sent to you as it is missing but I am satisfied it was not sent.

About the proof sets, I have a pretty good offer for them as a whole, but have not accepted it, if you care to make me an offer on the different years separately please do so, I may say in advance however that the offer must be a pretty liberal one to be as advantageous as the one I already have, you are of course aware that three of the sets are excessively rare particularly 1863 & 1876. Yours very truly Walter Woodward.

Jr.

1883

H. E. Woodward
Roxbury
Aug 31

Roxbury Mass.
Aug 31/83

Mr T Harrison Garrett

To W Elliot Woodward Dr.

To No 90	4 00	
" " 25	8 50	
" " 52	2 00	
" " 79	1 25	
" " 88	1 75 #	17 50

T. H. G.

Recd Payment,
W Elliot Woodward
Pres.

1884

H E Woodward

Aug 31

D 17 50

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1884

W E Woodward

Aug 31

D 17 50

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Roxbury, Mass.
Sept 5/03.

T Harrison Garrett. Esq.,
Dear Sir.

Your favor received with draft for #1,750 thanks you.

I made in behalf of a Western customer an offer for the Pattern Pieces, but the owner absolutely declines to take for the 1879 set anything under #150. net cash he will take that sum but will allow me nothing

On the copper dollars he will make no discount.

I wish to sell all the gold sets together but if I break the series You shall have the first offer of such as you want

This is not an offer, for I am not prepared to make an offer but fair prices would be about as follows I think. 1860 — #65, 1863 — #85, 1866 — #65, 1868 — #65, 1870 — #65, 1872 #65, 1873 the rarest set but one #85, 1874 Extremely rare #80.

1875 the rarest set #85.

Very truly yours,
W. C. Woodward,
p.s.

W. C. Woodward
Roxbury
Sept

1881

Roxbury, Mass.
Sept 10/82

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

I sent you today a remarkable collection of Gold coins they appear to me high, and I add nothing to the dealers price if I sell any I get a commission if I do not no more, the coins returned to me in yellow I was about to pay, but I have changed them into white ones

The eight silver coins 1/2. 2. & 3. Cents pieces are from my own stock and I have made the price & think very moderate on them.

If you have determined not to keep the pattern sets will you be kind enough to put them in the package that you may return from this invoice

Yours truly W. Elliot Woodward

1883

W E Woodward
Roxbury
Sept. 10

Roxbury Mass.
Sept 18/83.

T H Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir.

It has been so long since I wrote you about the 1879. Patterns, that I have really forgotten what I did write, if you have decided to keep them if you will have the kindness to refer to my letter and tell me I will make a bill to conform, or if you please you can remit for them and I will send a receipt

It is a matter of no consequence but I have some curiosity on the subject, the last two packages returned by you have reached me with expressages unpaid, I would really like to know if you paid the expressage as I suspect the Express Co collected their charge at both ends of the route.

Very truly Yours,
W Elliot Woodward,
Jr. Sr.

1883

H E Woodward

Roxbury

Dept. 18

Roxbury, Sept 18/82.

Mr T He Garrett

To

Wellcot Woodward, Dr.

To No 54	4 50		
" " 91	5 00	9 50	
Sept 1879 Patterns		175	
		$184 50	

P.N.G.

Rec'd Payment
Wellcot Woodward

W. E. Woodward
Sept. 15th
1850

Roxbury, Mass.
Oct 1, 1883

T Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir,

May I ask the favor of a reply to my letter of Sept 18th. I have retained the pattern pieces of 1879 far beyond the limit allowed me by the owner and am desirous of returning them or making payment, but cannot do so till I have your decision on the subject.

Yours very truly
Wallace Woodward.
[illegible]

1883

W E Woodward

Roxbury

Oct. 1

Roxbury Mass.
Oct 8/83.

T Harrison Garrett. Esq.
Dear Sir,

Thanks for your favor with remittance, I did not feel quite authorized & consider the Patton Piece sold without further instructions from you

I inclose two very desirable coins for your examination & do not own either of them the silver centre cent is the property of a correspondent in Cal, The Non Vi. I am under the impression is for abroad but I don't know, it is with one exception I think the finest I have ever seen, the price of the Non Vi. is $75. the Silver Centre Cent $125.00 a former holder of the silver center priced it at $300. that price was far too much but my price is low, I send you today Catalogue of my sept sale, it contains a great many things that seldom if ever appear here, especially amongst

time since so fine a cabinet was dispersed it is very rich in Pattern Pieces and contains every mint issue, I mean of date and denomination except four.

Yours very truly
W Elliot Woodward.
Jr.

W E Woodward
Roxbury
Octo 13
1883

1883
W. E. Woodward
Oct. 19th

Roxbury Mass.
Oct 19/83

T Harrison Garrett, Esq.

I will send you this afternoon by express, a fine selection of coins I send them in the original envelopes as received by the dealer from Europe, in the lower right hand corner the price is given in marks in the upper left hand corner in red are his prices to me. and I notice he charges 30 cts to the mark which is certainly a very small advance whatever you may select I shall charge you his prices for, with 10 per cent added this will make the coins come very low I think Amongst the silver pieces are many very rare and desirable,

I wrote you several days since concerning the gold proof sets, I think I wrote you that I had an offer for them which I held in abayence waiting your decision, my customer for an answer, will you kindly

1883

W. E. Woodward

Oct. 22

Roxbury, Mass.
Oct 25/83.

T Harrison Garrett. Esq.

Dear Sir.

I am sorry to find I have got the things a little mixed in the matter of the Gold Specie. In my first letter to you on the subject I stated to you that I had the series 1860 to 1883 complete wanting only 1861. In your letter to me Sept 3rd which I incline you said- "I want only" &c In my reply I quoted prices amounting to $660. for the 9 sets. When I recvd your letter of the 19th inst. I turned to your Sept 3rd favor cast up the aggregate amount $660. deducted from it 10% leaving $594. from which I took $34. making my offer $560. and it is only now that I have discovered, that you included in your list, 1861. a set which

I never had, and could not possibly obtain,

I send you the 9 sets which I supposed you inquired about, and which I supposed I was offering, and inclose you a bill for the same at $50. but this implies no obligation on your part to purchase them, they are however very cheap at that price and I don't believe they can be duplicated in the country,

I am sorry for all this bother. Your letter of Sept 3rd be kind enough to return to me as I have an unbroken file of the entire correspondence of my business life

The package of coins returned, arrived safely, The ×3. prices which you mention, in my next sale, will I judge bring about $5. each 1856. '79 '8, I should say one or two dollars more, I have an order at a little less than $5. on the whole line, and on some of the more recent ones orders at $7. & upwards.

As I shall be in New York Oct 27–31
I will thank you ~~do~~ to address me there
Care Gauge & Co.

Yours very truly
Wellet Woodward.
Jr. etc.

1883

V. E. Woodward

Oct 25th

Mr T H Garrett. Oct 25/.83

To W Ellit Woodward, Dr.

No 7.	Invoice	Y.B. 1 pd	1 80
" 8	"	" " 2 "	1 80
" 126	"	XI	3 00
" 9	"	—	3 00
" 3100	"	—	2 10
" 3110	"	—	7 50
" 3173	"	—	2 40
" 3065	"	—	1 50
			23 10
add 10%			2 31 25 41

J. H. G.

W Ellit Woodward
pck.

Thank you,

W. E. Woodward
Oct. 25
25.41

Roxbury, Oct 25/83

Wm T Harrison Garrett
bought of W Ellis Woodward
9 Proof sets in gold 550.00
Recd Payment.
W Ellis Woodward
p. ck.

J. N. G.

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ARLINGTON VIRGINIA

1565

W. E. Woodward
Oct. 25th
$550.00

Roxbury, Mass.
Nov. 3, 1883.

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.

Dear Sir,

Your two favors by mail and telegraph received, and as far as possible I executed your orders, not having at hand the prices quoted to you for the #3. prices I had no guide to follow, but I bought the six for you at prices which were not unreasonable though rather higher than I effected the remainder of the prices sold well,

Your order on the archaeological objects was so good that I effected to obtain you quite a number, indeed I did obtain quite a number but missed some that I had no doubt of buying, a few things [illegible] 3. or 4. which I thought you might like, I ventured to buy for you without an order, be kind enough

to return them to me direct unless you wish to keep them. Prices obtained for the lots missed are as follows:—

312 — $7. 316 — $10. 321 — $50,00 379 — $10,5

397 — $9,50 398 — I ventured to exceed your bid on and bought, I also bought at an advance No 519. it is very fine and by no means clear, you would hunt a good while before finding another,

I sent you 9 proof sets before leaving home for N.York. as soon as convenient be kind enough to let me know whether you will retain them or not,

Yours very truly
Wellcome Woodward,
[illegible]

Roxbury, Mass.
Nov. 3. 1883.

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.

Dear Sir.

Your two favors by mail and telegraph received, and as far as possible I executed your orders, not having at hand the prices quoted to you for the #3. prices I had no guide to follow, but I bought the six for you at prices which were not unreasonable though rather higher than I expected the remainder of the prices sold well,

Your order on the archaeological objects was so good that I effected to obtain you quite a number, indeed I did obtain quite a number but missed some that I had no doubt of buying, a few things Pueblos 3. or 4. which I thought you might like, I ventured to buy for you without an order, be kind enough

to return them to me direct unless you wish to keep them. Prices obtained for the lots missed are as follows:—

312 — $7. 316 — $10. 321 — $50,00 379 — $10,50

397 — $9,50 398 — I ventured to exceed your bid on and bought, I also bought at an advance No 519. it is very fine and by no means clear, you would hunt a good while before finding another.

I sent you 9 proof sets before leaving home for N.York. as soon as convenient be kind enough to let me know whether you will retain them or not,

Yours very truly
Wallace Woodward,
[illegible]

Roxbury Mass
Dec 24/83

T Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir.

I bought the pitcher, the tray, and the knife for you the pair of Pistols sold for #14. and the single Pistol for #6. I think I sold Mr Vickay the pair for #5.25 which I thought a fair Price, I bid more than that on your Pc but I was not willing to pay what they brought on the other pistol I went up to #3.75 ivy cent it was worth if you care anything about them I can only say I am sorry I did not get them.

Yours truly
Walter Adamson

1883

W. E. Woodward
Roxbury
Dec 31

Boston, April 2, 1884.

Mr. T. Harrison Garrett.

Bought of W. Elliot Woodward,

Decoration, Russia,	12	00	
" St. Stanislaus,	10	50	
" Turkey,	8	00	
" Hessia,	6	00	+ 6,50
" Russia,	10	00	
" Caucassia,	9	00	
" Russia,	10	00	
" Roumania,	2	00	
Add 5 %	3	37	70 87
+ Hessia -			53
			$ 7140

J. H. G. Rec'd Payment
W. E. Woodward

W E Woodward

Apl. 21

$41.40

J.H.G.

Roxbury, Mass., Sept 29 1884

Mr. T Harrison Garrett,
Ill.

Bought of W. Elliot Woodward,

~~Priced~~ Catalogue No. 69 $ .65
" " "
" " "

Received Payment, W Elliot Woodward

G.N.G.

Can furnish to order the Catalogue of almost any Coin Sale ever made in the United States. A full list of my own sales, with prices for the Catalogues, sent on application.

Roxbury, Mass., Jan 8th 1885

Mr. T Harrison Garrett

Bought of W. Elliot Woodward,

$ 1,00

Priced Catalogue No. 70
" " "
" " "

G.N.G. Thank you Received Payment, W Elliot Woodward

Can furnish to order the Catalogue of almost any Coin Sale ever made in the United States. A full list of my own sales, with prices for the Catalogues, sent on application.

1885

W. E. Woodward

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J.H.G.

1884

W. E. Woodward

Sept. 29

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J.H.G.

Redburg, Mass.
Feb. 29, 1884.

T Harrison Garrett Esq.

Bought of W Ellis Woodward

3 Korean Coins $6.00

Recd payment Mar 11/84

W Ellis Woodward

Thank you.

1884

W E Woodward

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F.H.G.

Refers to Woodward's 69th

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Mr J Harrison Garrett

Dear Sir. I bought everything you bid on in the sale today at extremely low figures. The unique Gold Washington "Chowder Club Medal" for $23.25 the price bid $50.– would have been cheap. The three Washingtons with blank reverses I got at $7.25 each. less than one third your bid. Hope to be as successful during the remainder of the sale

Yours truly
Geo W Massemore

12 Kept

Roxbury, Mass.
Feb 6/85

Mr F Harrison Garrett.

Dear Sir,

At my last W.I. sale you purchased a number of Japanese sword guards, of these I have without doubt the finest assortment ever brought to America, thinking you might like a number more of them I take the liberty to send you 25 of a superior quality, on approval these may be had at $2,00 each. I have of the same quality about as many more,

I have also another, larger lot say 100 or little more or less, that I am able to sell at $1.75 each any or all of which I would be glad to send to you. 37 of these sword guards similar to the ones sent today have just been offered to me by a Japanese merchant for $250. I am

unable to distinguish between his and mine, and he declares that some have been recently sold in N.Y. as high as #90. each. I confess I consider his story wholly incredable

I also have and send to you in the same box a perfect #10. ducat gold coin of Chr. Bathori, Vaivode of Transylvania this piece is said to be a coin of rarity it belongs to a friend of mine in San Francisco who paid for it in Germany #40. I am authorized to sell it for #42. at this price I consider it remarkably cheap

I sent you a few days ago an illustrated catalogue of my 71st sale, in that catalogue you will find many pieces of importance but I hardly hope that any are rare enough to attract your attention, I also sent you Cat. of my 72d Sale mostly of Archaic objects hoping that something therein may interest you.

Yours truly

Wallet Woodward,

I have also a consignment of Spanish knife handles which I am told are considerably sought for as objects of curiosity I have seen none but the one lot which I possess, I add a few for you examination, they are said to understand as handles for paper knives and fruit knives, I can sell them at 50¢ each, you will find 20 of them in the box,

W.

Roxbury, Mass.
Feb 19/85

Mr J Harrison Garrett.

Dear Sir

I am greatly mortified at my own carelessness, When I sent you the box containing the Transylvania gold coin, and the Japanese Sword Guards, & Knife handles, I made a careful memorandum of the contents of the box, when you returned the box which arrived safely I looked for my memo. it was missing and I regret to say it is missing still, I have searched for it with much diligence but thus far in vain, it will presently turn up in some unexpected place, but unfortunately I cannot find it now.

Will you oblige me with a list of the articles retained by you which will enable me to make a bill of the same, Walter Woodward, [illegible]

P.S. I take it for granted you need my catalogues 71 & 72. and as I shall see Dr Massaume at the sale I hope he may have some orders from you.

In sale 72. there are a few articles worthy of attention, the most remarkable thing in the lot is No 325. Nos 340 & 467 are particularly curious, Nos 483 & 517 are the finest Aryan coins I have ever seen

W.

Roxbury, Mass
Mar 2/85

Mr. T Harrison Garrett

Dear Sir,

For your order telegraphed me from Fla. I am very much obliged I believe I got everything you ordered, and I do not think I paid an unreasonable price for any one though in the prehistoric department you selected most of the very best things, on second thought I believe I did miss Nos 1084 & 1085, these were ordered by a gentleman at $5, each which I considered the very highest any one ought to pay for them. 1085 was by some means lost and did not appear at the sale,

I have lately made a great numismatic discovery or rather I have turned up in England an unknown American Coin

of the very highest interest, I shall add no
to my sale of April 2, 3. I shall mail
you a description of Baltimore, and if
you will take the trouble to inform me
where you will be say about Mar 10.
I will send you a copy direct.

I sincerely hope you will be pleased
with the coins &c when you receive
them, when I have an order without
limit I always feel troubled for fear
I may over estimate the goods and be
them at too high a price, I think you
will however in this case approve of
what I have done.

Yours truly
Wallace Woodward,
Jr.

P.S. I would address this letter to Putnam
but presume you are on the wing, and
thus send this to Baltimore.

W.

Roxbury Mch 14/85.

Mr T. Harrison Garrett.

Dear Sir.

I send for your acceptance a copy of my 7th Catalogue with plate & addenda in the latter you will not fail to notice not only the gem of the collection, but the gem of any collection in which the piece may in future appear. This piece has been seen by all the leading Numismatists & dealers in Newyork & Boston & it is of course exciting much interest. I have declined large offers for it $300.00 & $450.00 but as so many have seen it, I thought it only fair to offer it for public competition. I presume you are now at the South or I should have heard from you concerning my awkward loss of a memorandum of the Japanese Sword Guards which I sent you last. I await your reply until you return. your visit to Florida so far as the climate is concerned seems to be most enviable, the weather in Boston is fearful enough at the best, but it has this Winter been exceptionably terrible

Yours very truly

W. Elliot Woodward

1885

W E Woodward

Roxbury

Aug 14

Mr T Harrison Garrett,
bought of Roxbury, Mass. Mar 27/85

12 Sword Guards, @ 2.00 24
10 Ducat Piece of Transylvania 42.00

$66.00

T.H.G.

Thank you, Recd Payment, Wellick Woodward,
Mrs.

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APRIL 2, 1885.

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1885.

ADDENDA.

UNIQUE AMERICAN COIN.

In 1782 the financier, Robert Morris, reported a system of coinage devised by Gouveneur Morris, the unit of which was an imaginary piece of small value. The largest coin, the Crown, was to be of gold, valued at 10,000 of the units; the next of silver, the Mark or Dollar of 1,000 units; the next the Quint or Half Dollar of silver of 500 units; and the Bil or Bit of silver of 100 units; and a copper coin of 10 units. Of these coins, until the present piece was discovered in Scotland, but three examples were known to exist, one of the Mark, and two of the Quint; the obverses of the last two pieces differ materially, the reverses are from the same die. The gold Crown is unknown, and it is quite likely was never struck, and doubtful if dies were ever prepared for it, as all the dies which were made for a government coinage at the period — 1782–3 — with a single exception, were accounted for before the discovery of this piece.

The Mark, and the two Quints mentioned, were formerly in the collection of Mr. S. S. Crosby, to whose work on American Coins, pages 307 and following, reference is made for a full and interesting account of all that is known concerning these incunabulæ of American coinage, for it is certain that they comprise the earliest efforts looking to the establishment of a Government coinage.

The three pieces referred to are now all in the magnificent collection of Mr. Loring G. Parmelee of Boston.

1 1783 The Bit; device, an eye on a plain field within a glory or sun of thirteen points; within the points a circle of thirteen stars; legend, NOVA CONSTELLATIO; rev., a wreath enclosing the letters U. S. and the figures 100 below; legend, LIBERTAS. JUSTITIA. 1783; size, 11; weight, 27 grs. nearly. The edge of this piece is ornamented with leaf work similar to the larger denominations.

The coin has been carefully compared with the three previously referred to; it is not only of the precise style of workmanship of the others, but the dies are undoubtedly by the same artist. It has existed for an unknown period in the collection of an old numismatist in Scotland, whose recent death led to the dispersion of his cabinet by auction. The condition of the piece is perfect, uncirculated, and as nearly proof as coins of the period are found; it is covered with a dark film, which scarcely obscures its brilliancy: this film may be instantly removed, but is in itself important evidence of the authenticity and antiquity of the coin. It will be limited at $550. If that starting bid is made, it will positively be sold, otherwise it will not be offered. See Plate Cat. 73, 1 ad.

2 1851 Dollar; original, brilliant, almost proof, *excessively rare.*

3 1852 Dollar; original fine impression, splendid surface, with slightest possible hay marks.

4 1847 Half Cent; *original*, splendid proof, *excessively rare.*

Years ago, when the difference was not generally known between originals and mint re-strikes of the rare half cents, and when the distinction, if known, was disregarded, I may have seen or owned an original 1847. I know, positively, that the highest prices ever realized for the 1842 and 1847 were for re-strikes, one of which is in my sale 73, number 656. I am at this moment much in doubt whether I have ever before even seen an original 1847 half cent.

5 1735 Four Daler; plate money of Sweden; a thick copper plate, stamped in the centre "4 Daler Silf. mynt," two arrows crossed below, in each corner a large circular stamp, "F. R. S., 1735," with large open crown above: very fine: size, 9½ x 10 inches. The largest example with, perhaps, one exception, I have ever met with; *very rare.* These pieces are reckoned as money of necessity by Mailliet.

6 1727 Half Daler of the same style as the last; fine; scarce; size, 3½ x 3⅝.

7 1743 Half Daler; plate money; like the preceding; has been used to support the point of a spindle, and thereby slightly damaged.

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Roxbury, Mass.
Dec 2, 1885

T. Harrison Garrett, Esq.
Dear Sir.

I mail you today a copy of my 80th Catalogue, and beg you will give it a perusal.

Amongst the Dimes & ½ Dimes you will notice a few remarkable pieces. No 1036. I believe is the finest specimen existing.

I also venture to call attention to 2065. and No 2120. cannot be surpassed, you of course know it as one of the rarest of American Coins.

Will you buy my "Nova Constellatio" or silver Bit?— I will sell it to you for less than I have ever offered it, having always held it at #550. I have repeatedly been offered #300. for it. I will now sell it for #450. a gentleman is very desirous of possessing it, but has taken the trouble

to announce that he will never buy it, I have taken equal pains to declare publicly that he never shall have it from me. I would of course be glad to sell the piece which I regard today as more valuable than any other American coin. I think you have catalogue No 73. in which the piece is illustrated

Yours very truly
W. Elliot Woodward.
Jun.

1886
W E Woodward
Dec 2.

1885

W. Elliot Woodward

Dec 24.

Roxbury. Mass.
Dec 24/85

Mr T H Garrett.

Dear Sir

Your favor was rec'd during my absence hence the delay in my replying which you will kindly excuse, the "Bit" I forward today by express

On Sat. last I secured another coin of scarcely less rarity which I take the liberty to send for your examination, you will recognize it at once as the French Colonial Quarter Crown struck for, or by Law of the Mississippi Scheme, so well known as the Miss Bubble a full account of this coin written by Prof. Chas L Anthon may be found in the American Journal of Numismatics, another by R W McLachlan in the same work.

If you happen to have the Catalogue of the Collection of Geo W Parsons, a little better description may be given therein, Parsons was offered at

limit of $325. I have never before possess the coin, I think the number known is limited to either 3. or 4. I know of three and suspect the one sent you is a fourth, I never before had the opportunity of purchasing one but one, one of the three referred which was offered to me for $450.

A Canadian collector proposed to buy this one (the one sent) at $250. but the owner feeling doubtful about the responsibility of the man declined to send the piece even on approval, so he sold it to me at a reduced price, I offer it at $200. and considering its rarity the price must be considered very moderate

Very Resp. Yrs.
Wallet Woodward.
Wm.

P.S. Having another very rare piece in my pocket which I know you would like to see, I send it for your examination, I sold one not long ago in silver for $45, one in copper like this but bearing no comparison to it in quality, still a good one sold at a much lower price the price of this one is $40.

W.

Roxbury, Dec. 8, '16.

Mr. T. Harrison Garrett,
Dear Sir:-

I have your favor of a recent date, but having misplaid it I am unable to refer to it at this moment, hence I am unable with positive certainty to tell which of the national medals you are in pursuit of. The casts which I wrote you about as expecting at a future day reached me only within 3 or 4 days, on receipt of your letter I shall give them a thorough going over and hope it may chance I may find those which you want. They are some 300 or 400 in number - mostly French, a few American.

Some days ago I sent you the catalogue of my next Archaeological sale. It is the most remarkable collection that I have ever happened to possess. It contains an unusual number of rarities and fine things - I beg you will excuse me for calling your attention by numbers

of a few fine things all of which will be worthy your attention, either on account of rarity and beauty, or both. The numbers which I would especially ask you to notice are 54-56-135-141 to 153-160-202-210 215 to 252-259-268 to 272-289-297-319 320-321-349 to 356 and following, the Swanton Collection 409-10-11 Many objects equally worthy of notice I have not referred to. I shall be much gratified if you will support this sale by your orders. As I feel confident it is particularly worthy of your attention. I shall answer your favor concerning the medals the moment it is received. I am mortified that I have lost sight of your last favor, though I have had it in my hands only a short time since and for its absence I cannot account.

Yours very truly
W. Elliot Woodward

P. S. Your letter this moment appeared having slipped into the wrong file but I am still at a loss to know which medals are wanting in your collection. The medals which I refer to in my letter as being in Boston were here but were sold to Mr. Dohrmann of San Francisco and were returned to me, but I am unable to examine them for the ones you want owing to my uncertainty as to their ~~wha~~ which they are.

1886

W E Woodward

Dec 8, 20

Mr. Lee:

Advise Dr. W. regarding mails & ask for Catalogue of sale as I have none

T. H. G.

Dec 12/86 -

Roxbury, Dec. 20, 1886.

M. T. Harrison Garnett,

Dear Sir:-

I received the medals from California, bought so long ago from my friend Dohmann, who I am pained to say has recently died. I had never seen Mr. Dohmann, but had come to cherish a warm friendship for him, through a pleasant correspondence of many years.

These medals a caste of medals was got up by order of the old French adventurer Daniel E. Groux. Groux was always distinguished for his humbuggery and dishonesty. He managed to get acquainted with and take advantage of a number of great and excellent men. Among them were Daniel Webster, Chas. Francis Adams, Edward Everett and Dr. Winslow Lewis, the last one of the most lovely men I ever knew & think the most charming character with the possible

Exception of Jas. Carson Brevoort of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The three medals which I think particularly you want, I am glad to say are here. They are in the parcel marked 1. The presidential, naval, and military medals usually called the national medals I have put together in another parcel containing 47 pieces marked 2. The Lee medal is perhaps as rare as any is in the paper marked 3. The large Washington medal, if original, in paper No. 4 is worth ~~for~~ from $20 to $50. Package no. 5 contains in all 20 pieces, 3 & tremely scarce politicals, casts, fac similes &c.

All these I send in a single bundle; if you want them, you are at liberty to take lots 1-2-3-4, 52 pieces, for say $25. I am ~~not~~ not quite sure but I think the sets of national medals cost originally $75. If you take the 5 parcels, 72 in number I will charge you $28. The entire lot received from Mr. Dohrmann, numbers in addition to those before enumerated 429 pieces, for which I

allowed him $50 and the freight from California, say $5, for which sum I would be glad to sell you the entire lot. If you would like them I will ship them to you immediately; the remainder of the medals are mostly French, some English and other nationalities, the quality and style like those sent herewith. The variety is great, containing scarcely any duplicates.

Passing now to the subject of Declarology. I mailed you Saturday another catalogue of my 92d sale. Referring you to the catalogue itself I beg to call your attention to the following numbers; many that I do not mention are equally noticable and desirable. I may say that to get together such a number of varieties would require the ransacking of all American collections. I send you a catalogue with the numbers marked thus + those marked with 2 or more crosses I deem especially worthy of notice

54 — 56 - 78

102	103	122	134	135
141 to	153	160	161	162
163	164	198	199	200
202	210 to	214	235 to	251
259	267	268	269	270
271	272	273 to	278	288
289 to	297	299	301 to	304
317	319	320	349 to	411 inclusive
[illegible]	732	733	736	754
800	818	899	900	901

Should you choose to favor my sale with an order I will endeavor to obtain all that you may require, and to obtain them at the lowest possible prices.

Yours very truly,

H. Elliot Woodward.

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